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Title: SOLID MERCURY RELEASING MATERIAL AND METHOD OF DOSING
MERCURY INTO DISCHARGE LAMPS

RESPONSE

The Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 3, 2002, Applicant submits the following remarks.

REMARKS

The claims have been restricted as follows:

Group I: Claims 1-33

Group II: Claims 34-51

Applicant elects with traverse to prosecute Claims 1-33 in Group I.

An Office Action on the merits is accordingly requested.

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